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Reliable Fire Insurance

NEW YORK

UNDERWRITERS'

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Cash Assets January 1, 1872,

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Loss of the Company, How it Meets and Equitably Pays Its Losses.

GENTLEMEN: The Underwriters Day Book Company in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, all other claims, in the recent fire in Chicago, has been so highly praised for its prompt and liberal dealing with the insured by all parties, and so free from chicanery and shuffling, that we feel voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We can cheerfully assure parties insuring in this Company, that they will be treated justly and promptly in case of loss, and that no unnecessary delay will occur in the adjustment of their claims. Yours respectfully,

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WARREN & DURFEE, AGENTS, DECATUR, ILL.

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INSURANCE CO.

OF NEW YORK CITY,

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance

Cash Capital,

One Million Dollars!

Assets January 1, 1872,

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Losses in Chicago Fire Paid

$1,485,888.

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Insurance Company

OF

NORTH AMERICA,

PHILADELPHIA

ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.

OLDEST INSURANCE CO. IN AMERICA

Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,

$3,212,176.

Losses in the Chicago Fire paid

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The Oldest Fire Insurance Company in America and a Reliable Company for Indemnity.

GENTLEMEN: The enterprising Dividend Company in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, all other fire companies, in the great fire in Chicago, have been promptly and liberally dealt with by this company, and the assured throughout the country, in the liberal manner of their adjustments, unknown to the business of this country, and in marked contrast with the treatment of the assured by other companies, which has made it a matter of public congratulation, that we have a home company, which we can rely on in the hour of need, and we cordially recommend the assured of other companies to examine the merits of this company, and to transfer their business to this company, which we know to be prompt, liberal and just in the adjustment of losses, and which has the means to do so promptly and liberally. We congratulate you on the success of this company, which we know is due to your own exertions, and we remain

Your very respectful friends,

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IN Dunlap & Kirkpatrick's addition—lot 7, block 1, fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NEAR the Depot—Shipping yards and Elevators—on Williams st., between Main and Water, lots 50 feet front by 150 to 200 feet deep, with cistern and sidewalk down. Also,

LOT 1 and 11, block 1, Hompes addition, adjoining on Main st., just west of the Mount Zion Church, 50x150 feet each. Will be sold together or separately, at $300 or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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OFFERED DAILY FOR SALE. Inquire of Warren & Durfee, Real Estate Dealers and Conveyancers, Office on Old Square.

LOTS 1 and 2, block 1, Smith & Co's addition, on Clay street, between Morgan and Broadway, size 50x150 feet, two story frame house, 5 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 1, Carver's addition, comprising one entire square, situated on North Macon st., near Clay Court st., a new frame house of 12 rooms. Lots fenced. Can be had for $1,800 part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddicord & Burrows addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 1, Peddicord & Burrows addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, cor. Fifteenth, well, cistern and a stable all in good repair. Lot 50x100 ft., fronting on William st., very convenient to the business part of the town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the West side of Broadway, lot 3 block, Dunlap's western addition, 70 feet front, depth 150 feet. Story and a half house with basement, 5 rooms, well, cistern and stable. Offered at a low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on Prairie st. and 150 feet on College st., a story and a half house, 5 rooms, well and cistern, variety of fruit on premises. Very desirably located for a dwelling. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 10, block 1, Robinson's addition, situated between Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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Cash Capital, $300,000.

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One Day	25 Cents	Five Days	$1 00
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FIRE

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HARTFORD, CONN.,

CHARTERED, - 1810

CASH CAPITAL

One Million Dollars.

Assets January 1, 87,

$2,912,071.18.

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SPRINGFIELD

FIRE AND MARINE

INSURANCE CO.

OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

CASH CAPITAL, $3,000,000

Total Assets Jan. 1, 1872,

$1,065,606.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire paid, $500,000

Full line of Policies issued at Lowest Rates.

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WHAT THE BRETHREN OR "DUNKERS" PREACH.

They preach that there is one God, who is omnipotent, omniscient, and omnipresent, the creator of all things, "And hath made of one blood all nations of men, for to dwell on the face of the earth." They preach that he is a just and merciful God, too wise to err, to kind and good to do injustice.

"He that feareth him and worketh righteousness is accepted." They preach that he created man in his own image and likeness, endowed him with faculties to decide between right and wrong, to choose life and escape death; in short, a free moral agent. That He gave to man a law, as a test of his obedience; that by disobeying that law he became mind, carnal and mortal, was driven out of the Garden of Eden, deprived of access unto the tree of life, had a just sentence inflicted upon him, embracing all the ills, pains, and sufferings which flesh is heir to, that in administering justice to the guilty parties, the divine attribute of mercy shines forth prominently in the promise of a "Savior" which grew brighter throughout the Patriarchal dispensation by renewed promises until the time of the Levitical law when God typified by rites and ceremonies, offerings and sacrifices, figures and prophetic visions, the import of that promise which at the end of that dispensation was fulfilled, in this that the "Word" (which was in the beginning) was made flesh, in the person of Jesus Christ.

They preach also, that there is one mediator between God and man—"The man Christ Jesus;" that he was born of a woman, took on himself flesh and blood, suffered in our stead, was made perfect through suffering, and thereby obtained a name which is above every name,—all power in heaven and upon earth,—destroyed him that had the power of death, delivered us from the power of darkness, removed the cherubim, opened the sealed book, entered the holy place, not made with hands, with his own blood, obtained eternal redemption, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and "Is the true God, and eternal life."

They preach that Jesus Christ is the only Savior, His gospel the only plans of salvation, His commands the only means of salvation; that the Gospel reveals to man his sinful and helpless condition, his relationship to God, and his duties towards Him. They preach that Christ reconciled the world unto God, that "where no law is there is no transgression," that "the first command with promise, is to honor father and mother," that children stand reconciled, before obtaining a knowledge of right and wrong; that Christ did promise to such "the kingdom of heaven," that "To him that knoweth to do good and doeth it not to him it is sin," that the Gospel enlightens, showing man his depraved condition, pointing him to God as an avenger and rewarder in Christ as the only Savior, to the Holy Ghost as the Convictor, Reprover, Comforter, and Sanctifier, that no one comes to the Son unless drawn by the Father, and that no man cometh unto the Father but by the Son. That in the Gospel are revealed all things pertaining to life and godliness, that the preached word is designed to enlighten the understanding, to lead the sinner to seek pardon the conditions of which are Faith, Repentance, and Baptism. They preach that to repentance belongs sorrow for sin, restitution for wrongs committed, confession of sins to God and mankind, ceasing to do evil, a desire to do good, resulting in a complete state of mind; and that faith accompanies repentance is inseparably connected, growing stronger as the subject progresses until it becomes the faith that works by love, believing all things written in the law and in the prophets, that baptism following those prerequisites is the bath of regeneration, the answer of a good conscience, the putting on Christ, and the being buried by baptism with Him. They also preach that baptism properly means immersion, that it demands a three fold action to fill the commission, that laying on of hands is connected therewith, that remission of sins accompanies, and that the gift of the Holy Ghost, by which the believers are sealed unto the day of redemption follows it. That such have been "born of water and the spirit," that they have entered through Christ the door, taken his yoke upon them, have put on Christ, and are new creatures, which is confirmed by continued willingness to observe all things, among which are a denial of all ungodliness and worldly lust, not resisting evil, not avenging themselves, not minding high things, but learning from the Master meekness and lowliness of heart; walking in all the commands and ordinances blamelessly. Among these they mention feet washing, the lord's supper, the communion, the kiss of charity, anointing the sick with oil in the name of the Lord, diligently following every good work.

They preach that Jesus Christ is appointed universal judge, that He will judge the world in righteousness, reward every one according to his works, that the Gospel is the code of laws by which those living under its dispensation will be judged. "The word that I have spoken shall judge him in the last day."

Pride that dines on vanity sups on contempt.

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and inaugurated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generously aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied, despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year, a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land. Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the party's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments.

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "Once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individual's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continued and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we will see with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction, and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustrious services of Ulysses S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

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Attorney at Law.

OFFICE, Over Quidnick's Carpet Store, East Main Street. April 1, 1872.

JOHN W. SMITH. BRICE J. STERRETT.

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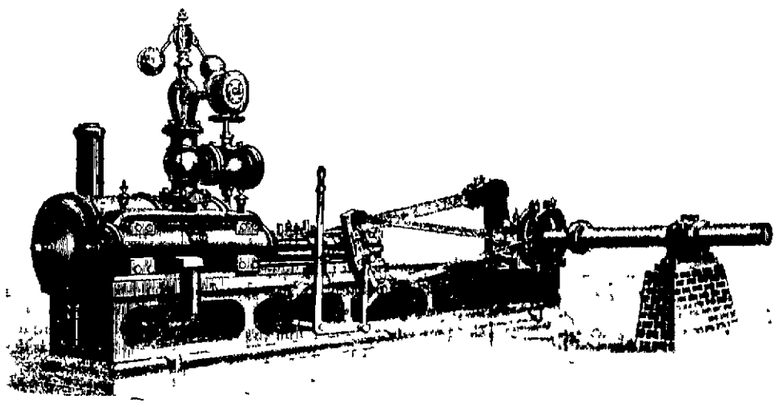

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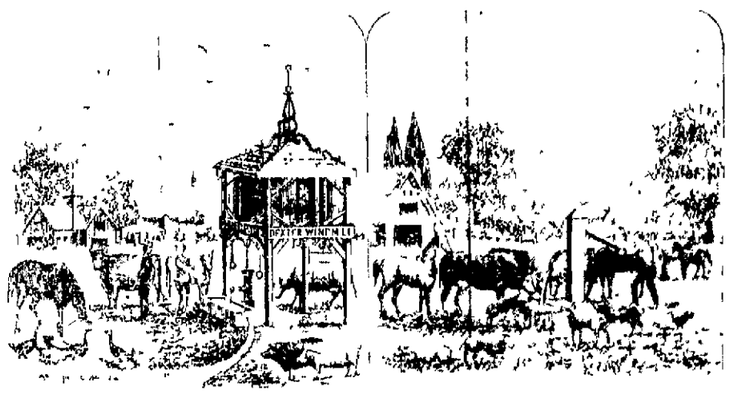

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OF ILLINOIS.

For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.

Presidential Electors:
At Large—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co. DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.

1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MARLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
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For Auditor,
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As yet there have been no announcements of candidates for the Republican nomination for Representative in this district. We do not pretend to account for this somewhat unusual circumstance, although we have heard the invidious remark made that the aspiring gentlemen have about all gone over to the "Liberals." While we do not altogether credit this report, still we must admit that one or two gentlemen who had an itching for legislative honors two years ago *have* given in their adhesion to the Dolly Vardens.

But, whether we have any ambitious fellows left or not, it is high time that we be looking about for the candidate which it is generally conceded that Macon county is entitled to. We have heard Job A. Race, Esq., of Maroa, mentioned as a suitable candidate for Representative. Mr. Race is an active, working Republican, an intelligent, sensible man, and a citizen without reproach. He has an extensive acquaintance throughout Macon and Dewitt counties, and we believe that with the endorsement of the Republican convention he would make a strong canvass. We have never had a word of conversation with him upon the subject, and do not know that he has any desire to be a candidate, but if he should be nominated we will give him our hearty support.

We should be pleased to have the Republicans of the county express their sentiments, upon the question of Representative and Senator, through our columns. Speak out, friends. If you have any preference for any particular individual, put your thoughts on paper, and we will be glad to print them.

THE *Nation* of this week has an elaborate article on the historic Democracy, coming to the conclusion that the country greatly needs such a party as the Democracy was, while the especial need of the hour is the defeat of the Democracy as it is. Not many months ago the New York *Tribune* also discussed the "historic Democracy." It asserted, and proved, too, that from first to last that party has been in the wrong, and that its long career of success was due to the popularity of false ideas of political economy. Practically it matters little which was right, Greeley or Godkin. However much people may differ touching the past of the party, every respectable man must hold in supreme contempt the organization of to-day, for if it ever had any principles it has now consented to their abandonment.

THE editor of the *Daily Wisconsin*, Milwaukee, was at the trouble to telegraph to the President inquiring if he actually made the bet on his own election charged by the Opposition. The President replied by denying the charge *in toto*. The editor of the *Wisconsin* could not have had any doubts on the subject. The charge was too absurd to merit any attention. But so long as the question was asked him the President was obliged to notice it as he did. Should the enemy accuse the President of starting the Chicago fire with the stump of a cigar, we hope our Milwaukee friend will make haste to expose the canard.

GOV. OGLESBY begins a series of appointments at Belleville, on the first of August, after which he will speak at Nashville, Carlyle, Centralia, Sullivan, Champaign, Paxton, Watseka, Pontiac, El Paso, Mackinaw, Peoria, Lacon and Princeton,—at the last named place on the 17th.

Gen. Moore will speak at the following places, commencing August 5th: Tuscola, Shelbyville, Neoga, Mason, Greenup, Marshall, Newton, Robinson and Lawrenceville.

IT has generally been supposed that the softshell crab is indigenous to the sea. Gratz Brown has exploded this fallacy. Bourbon county, Kentucky, is its favorite resort. In winter the crabs are taken "straight," but in summer they should be cooked in sugar, lemon and ice, and eaten with a straw. It is a remarkable genital fact that an overstock of crabs in the head often produces snakes in the boots.

AN unscrupulous person writes as follows to the New York *Commercial Advertiser*:

"They tell this story of Dr. Henry, who is staying at the Grand Union: The other day he was called upon to attend Gratz Brown in New York, when Gratz facetiously and foolishly remarked: 'It is seldom, Doctor, that you are so honored as to be called to attend a Vice President?' 'Oh, no,' replied the Doctor, 'I attended Vice President (?) Frank Blair in '68, but *your case is a good deal worse than his!*'"

It is estimated that the population of the country fifty years hence will reach 160,000,000, while in one hundred years it will exceed the population of the whole continent of Europe.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

☞ [Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Foreign Intelligence.

More About the Attempted Assassination of King Amadeus.

THE GENEVA CONFERENCE

REPORTED AWARD IN THE CASE OF THE FLORIDA.

TROUBLE IN ARKANSAS.

Railroad Accident in Michigan.

MARKETS. ETC.

FOREIGN NEWS.

BERLIN, July 23.—The Berlin *Gazette* corrects the statements made with regard to the recall of the Prussian charge d'affairs to the Vatican, Baron Von Derenthal, by explaining that Mr. Von Derenthal has not been recalled, but has merely left Rome on leave of absence, and all assertions of the proposed discontinuance of the diplomatic representatives are premature.

The forifications of Rosen are to be strengthened by several detached forts, preliminary works for which are to be commenced in the course of the present summer. The railroads converging in Rosen, have by contract agreed to contribute 500,000 thalers to the expenditures.

The report of Prince Bismarck's having proposed joint measures to be taken by Austria and Prussia in the event of the present Pope's death, are confirmed. The Austrian reply has not yet arrived at Berlin.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 23.—The Emperor Alexander, has appointed a naval and military commission to determine a suitable site on the coast of the Black Sea, for the construction of a new harbor.

It is affirmed that negotiations have been opened with the government of the United States, for the acquisition of the Aleutian Islands.

WARSAW, July 23.—Owing to the alarming decrease of the letter traffic in Poland, since the enforcement of the decree that no letters with other than Russian directions shall be accepted by the post office, the authorities have been privately instructed once more to allow Polish directions to pass.

MADRID, July 22.—A large sum of money was found on the prisoners engaged in the attempted assassination. It is believed by a majority of persons that the prisoners were the hired instruments of a political conspiracy. Previous to the attack, the King had been warned anonymously that his life was in danger. At the time of the attack a sharp engagement occurred between the would-be assassins and the police and the King's escort; his majesty was desirous of participating, but was prevented. It is believed that the parties arrested are the same who assassinated Gen. Prim.

GENEVA, July 22.—Claims for damages caused by the vessels Boston, Sallie, Jeff. Davis, Joy and Music have been dismissed by arbitration. The demurrer of Great Britain concerning other vessels was overruled. The case of the Florida was concluded to-day. The decision, it is believed, awards $2,600,000 damages for her depredations. The board took up the case of the Alabama to day.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The *Times'* Washington dispatch says it was announced in the Sunday *Chronicle* that Sumner is preparing a letter to the colored people favoring Greeley. He told several persons lately that Grant would not carry more than four States.

A North Carolina letter to the *Herald* says the Democrats have a good chance of carrying the State, although the margin is so narrow that it is impossible to predict with any certainty.

NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, July 22.—The trials of colored Republicans for intimidating the colored Greeley Marshal Cross were continued, before United States Commissioner Best. Two cases were tried to-day, in both of which the parties were convicted and bound over in heavy bonds. The bonds are signed by Supervisor Perry, Collector Young, U. S. Commissioner A. W. Shaffer, and eight more leading politician. It is believed that many more warrants will be issued to-day for the arrest of alleged conspirators in the Cross case.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, July 23.—A dispatch from Little Rock to-night is as follows: Quite a number of boxes of arms were sent from here on Saturday last by Gov. Hadley's orders to Pope county, the scene of the late troubles, to arm the militia there, numbering over 100, who are reported to be in camp near Dayer. Sheriff Dobson, who did the late killing, is reported with them.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The U. S. steamship Nantucket, which recently arrived home, has been put out of commission and her officers ordered to report to the Yantic and Frolic, Lust, commander. G. S. Schultz has been dispatched from the New York navy-yard and ordered to the Yantic.

Gen. John E. Smith arrived here this morning, direct from Fort Laramie, accompanied by Spotted Tail, his wife and eighteen other Indians of the Sioux tribe.

The President will arrive here to-day and hold a cabinet meeting in the morning. He will probably remain several days. During his stay he will grant an audience to Spotted Tail and his friends.

Dispatches from Rear-Admiral Jenkins, commanding the Atlantic fleet, dated Yokohama, June 18th, report that, on the 24th of May, the anniversary of the birth of Queen Victoria, the Colorado, Berea, and Idaho were at Yokohama, and the two first named vessels fired a national salute at noon, joining in the celebration with Her Britanic Majesty's fleet and other vessels of war lying in that port. On June 10th Admiral Jenkins proceeded to Yeddo with the Bewart. On the 14th, at the imperial palace, His Majesty expressed himself pleased with the accounts received from his Ambassadors now in America.

FROM NEBRASKA.

NEBRASKA CITY, July 23.—The Nebraska City post office was burned yesterday morning, together with the Midland Pacific Railroad and Great Western telegraph offices, Seigel's clothing store, Harding's book store and insurance office, Smith's photograph gallery, and a number of law offices. Loss $50,000, insurance $27,000. The U. S. mails were saved. The fire originated from a streak of lightning conducted into the telegraph office by the wires.

PENNSYLVANIA.

SCRANTON, July 23.—The surface of the earth of the Baltimore shaft of the Wilkesbarc mine caved in yesterday and swallowed up a house occupied by two families. All the inmates escaped except two little girls, who were buried with the house. The mine was not being worked at the time of the accident.

FROM MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, July 23.—A Charlotte sheet of to-day says the express train going east on the Penninsular Railway, yesterday forenoon, ran over an ox about three miles east of here. Engineer D. B. Mead, in attempting to jump off, caught his head between the brake circle and the cab mashing it and killing him instantly. No one else was hurt.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 23.—Wheat, steady, cash 1.23½; August, 1.17; September 1.07½.

Corn, cash 40¼; August, 41¼; Sept. 41½.

Pork, firm, Aug., 14.50.

Lard, nothing doing.

Oats, dull, 26¼.

Barley, dull, 56.

Highwines, strong at 88½c.

Rye, nothing doing.

Hogs, receipts, 7,637; market firm. Extreme range at 4.00@4.35; bulk of sales of light at 4.20@4.25, and heavy at 4.05@4.10.

Cattle, 4,00@6.50.

Sheep, 2.00@5.00.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Flour, steady, quiet, at 6,35@6.40.

Wheat, firm, No. 2 Milwaukee 1.47 bid.

Corn, quiet, supply larger; 61c bid.

Oats, firm, held at 43½.

Rye, nominal at 73.

Whiskey, inactive 93.

Pork, quiet, $13.65.

Lard, quiet at 9⅛@9¼.

Gold. 111c.

HORACE GREELEY'S BARGAIN WITH THE DEMOCRATS.

The Binghamton (N. Y.) *Republican*, which has several times spoken of a definite arrangement made a year ago between Mr. Greeley, acting for himself, and Horatio Seymour on behalf of the Democratic party, in relation to Mr. Greeley's nomination for the Presidency, now puts its charge in the following specific and positive form:

"1. That Horace Greeley agreed, in October, 1871, on his own behalf to be a candidate for President of the United States if Horatio Seymour and the Democratic leaders would support him, and held a correspondence on that subject, of which one letter was dated October 4, 1871. That Mr. Greeley formally recognized his agreement, and communicated the fact of the Democratic proposition to Reuben E. Fenton, who consented to give his assistance to the scheme.

"2. That Horatio Seymour, who was regarded as himself a candidate, and some of the Democratic leaders subsequently agreed to give Mr. Greeley their support conditionally. That Horatio Seymour communicated with Waldo Hutchins on this subject, with reference especially to the Cincinnati Convention. That Horatio Seymour acknowledged the correspondence of himself and Hutchins in a letter dated May 1, 1872, three days before the Cincinnati Convention was held.

"3. That Waldo Hutchins responded, and became a delegate to that convention. That the fact of Democratic coalition was well understood by some of the delegates to the Cincinnati Convention; and that the expectation of this Democratic support aided or secured Mr. Greeley's nomination.

"Now we propose, if the points we make here are denied by any of the persons named, to publish the testimony of the holder of the correspondence we have mentioned—which correspondence we have seen, in the handwriting of Horace Greeley and Horatio Seymour, including accounts of interviews with Horace Greeley and Horatio Seymour and others; such testimony showing, with the evidence of the letters and amply corroborative evidence, the mode in which Mr. Greeley and Mr. Seymour were brought together, and embracing much information of detail. We shall give Mr. Seymour and Mr. Greeley a witness of their own, who has been provided with his certificates of character by themselves, and whom they do not dare to discredit. Shall we have a response?"

WHEAT PROSPECTS.—The Department of Agriculture estimates the yield of wheat in the United States for 1872 at 220,000,000 bushels; which is 10,000,000 less than last year, and 67,000,000 more than the year before. The prospect is, that the country will have food enough, and if the United States is called upon for a large quantity of breadstuffs, our farmers will have a chance to sell their products at good prices.

A young man in New York was the victim of misplaced confidence a short time ago. He was particularly sweet on a very young girl, and called one evening having previously paid her several visits. The girl's parents thinking both too young to begin to keep company with each other, gave a gentle hint to that effect—first, by calling the girl out of the room and sending her to bed; and secondly, by the lady of the house bringing in a huge slice of bread and butter spread with jam, and saying to the youth, in her kindest manner, "There take this and go home; it is a long way and your mother will be anxious."

THERE was quite an interesting little occurrence at the Tolono Convention on the 17th. The Liberals and Democrats went into general convention, and as soon as the thing commenced Col. Young, of Arcola, saw that something was wrong, that there was chicanery.—He then made a few remarks, to the Democrats, calling them villains, scoundrels, and everything else he could think of, and withdrew from the convention entirely, forbidding the use of his name at all. Mr. Young was one of the Liberal delegates from Douglas county.—*Tuscola Journal.*

THE Vandalia (Ill.) *Union* says the wheat harvest in that locality is over, and the crop turns out much better than was expected. In many cases the yield is large, and altogether the crop is considered large. The grain is plump and of excellent duality. Oats are being cut, and the crop will be large. Corn is doing well.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, July 23, 1872.

The markets are very dull.
Offerings of grain are exceedingly light.
We have no change to note in quotations.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ 1.45
" White "	1.50
" New white ℔ bus	1.30
" New red "	1.25
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	5.00
" red "	3.50
" superfine, "	2.50
" middlings, "	2.00
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	.70
RYE—℔ bushel	.35
CORN—℔ bushel	.28@.35
" shelled, per bush	35@.40
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	8.00@10.00
OATS—℔ bushel	.15
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—℔ bushel	.20
BUTTER—℔ ℔	.08
EGGS—per doz	.08
LARD—℔ ℔	.08
BACON—Sides	.09
HAMS—sugar-cured	.11
SHOULDERS—per ℔	.06
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3.25@3.50
CATTLE— " "	3.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per head, unsheared	
" " " sheared	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—Old, per bu	.75
" New "	.35@.40
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	.12½
APPLES— " "	.12½
" Green ℔ bus	.35@.40
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@31
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@41
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	45@50
" " combing	52@60
" Tubwashed	60@65
" " and picked	66@70
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	6½@7
" Salted cured,	8½@9
" Calf,	12½@12
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
[Cat, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	.50@.60
" Common, ℔ ℔	.25@.30
BEESWAX ℔ ℔	.35
TALLOW— "	.07@.07½
RAGS—Mixed,	.02

New Advertisements.

BOARDING.—Two gentlemen or gentleman and wife can be accommodated with board and comfortable room either on first or second floor. Apply at No. 22, cor. East North and Jackson streets, or address P. O. box 952. [24-d1w.

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May 21, 1872—d-3m.

NOTICE!

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THE examination of the Brooklyn Water Board record shews an expenditure of from $8,000,000 to $9,000,000 in three years, of which amount two-thirds was actually stolen from the public treasury and put into the hands of Kingsley and Kinsella's ring, every man of whom supports Greeley as a Reformer.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

As yet there have been no announcements of candidates for the Republican nomination for Representative in this district. We do not pretend to account for this somewhat unusual circumstance, although we have heard the invidious remark made that the aspiring gentlemen have about all gone over to the "Liberals." While we do not altogether credit this report, still we must admit that one or two gentlemen who had an itching for legislative honors two years ago *have* given in their adhesion to the Dolly Vardens.

But, whether we have any ambitious fellows left or not, it is high time that we be looking about for the candidate which it is generally conceded that Macon county is entitled to. We have heard Job A. Race, Esq., of Maron, mentioned as a suitable candidate for Representative. Mr. Race is an active, working Republican, an intelligent, sensible man, and a citizen without reproach. He has an extensive acquaintance throughout Macon and Dewitt counties, and we believe that with the endorsement of the Republican convention he would make a strong canvass. We have never had a word of conversation with him upon the subject, and do not know that he has any desire to be a candidate, but if he should be nominated we will give him our hearty support.

We should be pleased to have the Republicans of the county express their sentiments, upon the question of Representative and Senator, through our columns. Speak out, friends. If you have any preference for any particular individual, put your thoughts on paper, and we will be glad to print them.

THE *Nation* of this week has an elaborate article on the historic Democracy, coming to the conclusion that the country greatly needs such a party as the Democracy was, while the especial need of the hour is the defeat of the Democracy as it is. Not many months ago the New York *Tribune* also discussed the "historic Democracy." It asserted, and proved, too, that from first to last that party has been in the wrong, and that its long career of success was due to the popularity of false ideas of political economy. Practically it matters little which was right, Greeley or Godkin. However much people may differ touching the past of the party, every respectable man must hold in supreme contempt the organization of to-day, for if it ever had any principles it has now consented to their abandonment.

THE editor of the *Daily Wisconsin*, Milwaukee, was at the trouble to telegraph to the President inquiring if he actually made the bet on his own election charged by the Opposition. The President replied by denying the charge *in toto*. The editor of the *Wisconsin* could not have had any doubts on the subject. The charge was too absurd to merit any attention. But so long as the question was asked him the President was obliged to notice it as he did. Should the enemy accuse the President of starting the Chicago fire with the stump of a cigar, we hope our Milwaukee friend will make haste to expose the canard.

GOV. OGLESBY begins a series of appointments at Belleville, on the first of August, after which he will speak at Nashville, Carlyle, Centralia, Sullivan, Champaign, Paxton, Watseka, Pontiac, El Paso, Mackinaw, Peoria, Lacon and Princeton,—at the last named place on the 17th.

Gen. Moore will speak at the following places, commencing August 5th: Tuscola, Shelbyville, Neoga, Mason, Greenup, Marshall, Newton, Robinson and Lawrenceville.

IT has generally been supposed that the softshell crab is indigenous to the sea. Gratz Brown has exploded this fallacy. Bourbon county, Kentucky, is its favorite resort. In winter the crabs are taken "straight," but in summer they should be cooked in sugar, lemon and ice, and eaten with a straw. It is a remarkable genital fact that an overstock of crabs in the head often produces snakes in the boots.

AN unscrupulous person writes as follows to the New York *Commercial Advertiser*:

"They tell this story of Dr. Henry, who is staying at the Grand Union: The other day he was called upon to attend Gratz Brown in New York, when Gratz facetiously and foolishly remarked: 'It is seldom, Doctor, that you are so honored as to be called to attend a Vice President?' 'Oh, no,' replied the Doctor, 'I attended Vice President (?) Frank Blair in '68, but *your case is a good deal worse than his!*'"

IT is estimated that the population of the country fifty years hence will reach 100,000,000, while in one hundred years it will exceed the population of the whole continent of Europe.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Foreign Intelligence.

More About the Attempted Assassination of King Amadeus.

THE GENEVA CONFERENCE

REPORTED AWARD IN THE CASE OF THE FLORIDA.

TROUBLE IN ARKANSAS.

Railroad Accident in Michigan.

MARKETS. ETC.

FOREIGN NEWS.

BERLIN, July 23.—The Berlin *Gazette* corrects the statements made with regard to the recall of the Prussian charge d'affairs to the Vatican, Baron Von Derenthal, by explaining that Mr. Von Derenthal has not been recalled, but has merely left Rome on leave of absence, and all assertions of the proposed discontinuance of the diplomatic representatives are premature.

The fortifications of Rosen are to be strengthened by several detached forts, preliminary works for which are to be commenced in the course of the present summer. The railroads converging in Rosen, have by contract agreed to contribute 500,000 thalers to the expenditures.

The report of Prince Bismarck's having proposed joint measures to be taken by Austria and Prussia in the event of the present Pope's death, are confirmed. The Austrian reply has not yet arrived at Berlin.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 23.—The Emperor Alexander, has appointed a naval and military commission to determine a suitable site on the coast of the Black Sea, for the construction of a new harbor.

It is affirmed that negotiations have been opened with the government of the United States, for the acquisition of the Aleutian Islands.

WARSAW, July 23.—Owing to the alarming decrease of the letter traffic in Poland, since the enforcement of the decree that no letters with other than Russian directions shall be accepted by the post office, the authorities have been privately instructed once more to allow Polish directions to pass.

MADRID, July 22.—A large sum of money was found on the prisoners engaged in the attempted assassination. It is believed by a majority of persons that the prisoners were the hired instruments of a political conspiracy. Previous to the attack, the King had been warned anonymously that his life was in danger. At the time of the attack a sharp engagement occurred between the would-be assassins and the police and the King's escort; his majesty was desirous of participating, but was prevented. It is believed that the parties arrested are the same who assassinated Gen. Prim.

GENEVA, July 22.—Claims for damages caused by the vessels Boston, Sallie, Jeff. Davis, Joy and Music have been dismissed by arbitration. The demurrer of Great Britain concerning other vessels was overruled. The case of the Florida was concluded to-day. The decision, it is believed, awards $2,600,000 damages for her depredations. The board took up the case of the Alabama to day.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The *Times'* Washington dispatch says it was announced in the Sunday *Chronicle* that Sumner is preparing a letter to the colored people favoring Greeley. He told several persons lately that Grant would not carry more than four States.

A North Carolina letter to the *Herald* says the Democrats have a good chance of carrying the State, although the margin is so narrow that it is impossible to predict with any certainty.

NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, July 22.—The trials of colored Republicans for intimidating the colored Greeley Marshal Cross were continued, before United States Commissioner Best. Two cases were tried to-day, in both of which the parties were convicted and bound over in heavy bonds. The bonds are signed by Supervisor Perry, Collector Young, U. S. Commissioner A. W. Shaffer, and eight more leading politicians. It is believed that many more warrants will be issued to-day for the arrest of alleged conspirators in the Cross case.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, July 23.—A dispatch from Little Rock to-night is as follows: Quite a number of boxes of arms were sent from here on Saturday last by Gov. Hadley's orders to Pope county, the scene of the late troubles, to arm the militia there, numbering over 100, who are reported to be in camp near Dover. Sheriff Dobson, who did the late killing, is reported with them.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The U. S. steamship Nantucket, which recently arrived home, has been put out of commission and her officers ordered to report to the Yantic and Frolic, Lust, commander. G. S. Schultz has been dispatched from the New York navy-yard and ordered to the Yantic.

Gen. John E. Smith arrived here this morning, direct from Fort Laramie, accompanied by Spotted Tail, his wife and eighteen other Indians of the Sioux tribe.

The President will arrive here to-day and hold a cabinet meeting in the morning. He will probably remain several days. During his stay he will grant an audience to Spotted Tail and his friends.

Dispatches from Rear-Admiral Jenkins, commanding the Atlantic fleet, dated Yokohama, June 18th, report that, on the 24th of May, the anniversary of the birth of Queen Victoria, the Colorado, Beren, and Idaho were at Yokohama, and the two first named vessels fired a national salute at noon, joining in the celebration with Her Britanic Majesty's fleet and other vessels of war lying in that port. On June 10th Admiral Jenkins proceeded to Yeddo with the Bewart. On the 14th, at the imperial palace, His Majesty expressed himself pleased with the accounts received from his Ambassadors now in America.

FROM NEBRASKA.

NEBRASKA CITY, July 23.—The Nebraska City post office was burned yesterday morning, together with the Midland Pacific Railroad and Great Western telegraph offices, Seigel's clothing store, Harding's book store and insurance office, Smith's photograph gallery, and a number of law offices. Loss $50,000, insurance $27,000. The U. S. mails were saved. The fire originated from a streak of lightning conducted into the telegraph office by the wires.

PENNSYLVANIA.

SCRANTON, July 23.—The surface of the earth of the Baltimore shaft of the Wilkesbare mine caved in yesterday and swallowed up a house occupied by two families. All the inmates escaped except two little girls, who were buried with the house. The mine was not being worked at the time of the accident.

FROM MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, July 23.—A Charlotte sheet of to-day says the express train going east on the Penninsular Railway, yesterday forenoon, ran over an ox about three miles east of here. Engineer D. B. Mead, in attempting to jump off, caught his head between the brake circle and the cab mashing it and killing him instantly. No one else was hurt.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 23.—Wheat, steady, cash 1.23½; August, 1.17; September 1.07½.

Corn, cash 40½; August, 41¼; Sept. 41½.

Pork, firm, Aug., 14.50.

Lard, nothing doing.

Oats, dull, 26½.

Barley, dull, 56.

Highwines, strong at 88½c.

Rye, nothing doing.

Hogs, receipts, 7,637; market firm. Extreme range at 4.00@4.35; bulk of sales of light at 4.20@4.25, and heavy at 4.05@4.10.

Cattle, 4,00@6.50.

Sheep, 2.00@5.00.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Flour, steady, quiet, at 6,35@6.40.

Wheat, firm, No. 2 Milwaukee 1.47 bid.

Corn, quiet, supply larger; 61c bid.

Oats, firm, held at 43½.

Rye, nominal at 73.

Whiskey, inactive 93.

Pork, quiet, $13.65.

Lard, quiet at 9⅜@9¾.

Gold. 114c.

HORACE GREELEY'S BARGAIN WITH THE DEMOCRATS.

The Binghamton (N. Y.) *Republican*, which has several times spoken of a definite arrangement made a year ago between Mr. Greeley, acting for himself, and Horatio Seymour on behalf of the Democratic party, in relation to Mr. Greeley's nomination for the Presidency, now puts its charge in the following specific and positive form:

"1. That Horace Greeley agreed, in October, 1871, on his own behalf to be a candidate for President of the United States if Horatio Seymour and the Democratic leaders would support him, and hold a correspondence on that subject, of which one letter was dated October 4, 1871. That Mr. Greeley formally recognized his agreement, and communicated the fact of the Democratic proposition to Reuben E. Fenton, who consented to give his assistance to the scheme.

"2. That Horatio Seymour, who was regarded as himself a candidate, and some of the Democratic leaders subsequently agreed to give Mr. Greeley their support conditionally. That Horatio Seymour communicated with Waldo Hutchins on this subject, with reference especially to the Cincinnati Convention. That Horatio Seymour acknowledged the correspondence of himself and Hutchins in a letter dated May 1, 1872, three days before the Cincinnati Convention was held.

"3. That Waldo Hutchins responded, and became a delegate to that convention. That the fact of Democratic coalition was well understood by some of the delegates to the Cincinnati Convention; and that the expectation of this Democratic support aided or secured Mr. Greeley's nomination.

"Now we propose, if the points we make here are denied by any of the persons named, to publish the testimony of the holder of the correspondence we have mentioned—which correspondence we have seen, in the handwriting of Horace Greeley and Horatio Seymour, including accounts of interviews with Horace Greeley and Horatio Seymour and others; such testimony showing, with the evidence of the letters and amply corroborative evidence, the mode in which Mr. Greeley and Mr. Seymour were brought together, and embracing much information of detail. We shall give Mr. Seymour and Mr. Greeley a witness of their own, who has been provided with his certificates of character by themselves, and whom they do not dare to discredit. Shall we have a response?"

WHEAT PROSPECTS.—The Department of Agriculture estimates the yield of wheat in the United States for 1872 at 220,000,000 bushels; which is 10,000,000 less than last year, and 67,000,000 more than the year before. The prospect is, that the country will have food enough, and if the United States is called upon for a large quantity of breadstuffs, our farmers will have a chance to sell their products at good prices.

A young man in New York was the victim of misplaced confidence a short time ago. He was particularly sweet on a very young girl, and called one evening having previously paid her several visits. The girl's parents thinking both too young to begin to keep company with each other, gave a gentle hint to that effect—first, by calling the girl out of the room and sending her to bed; and secondly, by the lady of the house bringing in a huge slice of bread and butter spread with jam, and saying to the youth, in her kindest manner, "There take this and go home; it is a long way and your mother will be anxious."

THERE was quite an interesting little occurrence at the Tolono Convention on the 17th. The Liberals and Democrats went into general convention, and as soon as the thing commenced Col. Young, of Areola, saw that something was wrong, that there was chicanery.—He then made a few remarks, to the Democrats, calling them villains, scoundrels, and everything else he could think of, and withdrew from the convention entirely, forbidding the use of his name at all. Mr. Young was one of the Liberal delegates from Douglas county.—*Tuscola Journal.*

THE Vandalia (Ill.) *Union* says the wheat harvest in that locality is over, and the crop turns out much better than was expected. In many cases the yield is large, and altogether the crop is considered large. The grain is plump and of excellent duality. Oats are being cut, and the crop will be large. Corn is doing well.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, July 23, 1872.

The markets are very dull.
Offerings of grain are exceedingly light.
We have no change to note in quotations.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ 1.45
" White "	1.50
" New white ⅌ bus	1.20
" New red "	1.25
FLOUR—white wheat, ⅌ barrel	5.50
" red "	5.00
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—⅌ bushel	.70
RYE—⅌ bushel	.35
CORN—⅌ bushel	28@.35
" shelled, per bush	35@.40
HAY—Timothy, ⅌ ton	8,00@10,00
OATS—⅌ bushel	.15
FLAXSEED—⅌ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—⅌ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6,00@7.00
BEANS—⅌ bushel	
BUTTER—⅌ ℔	.20
EGGS—per doz	.08
LARD—⅌ ℔	.08
BACON—Sides	.09
HAMS—sugar-cured	.11
SHOULDERS—per ℔	.08
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3,25@3,50
CATTLE— " "	3,50@4,00
SHEEP— " per head, unsheared	
" " " sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—Old, per bu	.75
" New "	.35@.40
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	.12½
APPLES— " "	.12½
" Green ⅌ bus	.35@.40
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine, coarse & long	30@31
" " combing	38@42
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	40@41
" " coarse & long	38@48
" " combing	1.00@1.50
" Tubwashed	52@60
" " fine	60@65
" " and picked	66@70
HIDES—Green, ⅌ ℔	6½@7
" Salted cured	8½@9
" Calf	12½@12
" Dry salt	12½
" Dry Flint	14
SHEEP PELTS—Green	2.00@2.25
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ⅌ ℔	.60@.65
" Common, ⅌ ℔	.50@.30
BEESWAX ⅌ ℔	.35
TALLOW— "	.07½@.07½
RAGS—Mixed	.02

New Advertisements.

BOARDING.—Two gentlemen or gentleman and wife can be accommodated with board and comfortable room either on first or second floor. Apply at No. 22, cor. East North and Jackson streets, or address P. O. box 952. [24-d1w.

NOTICE

TO CONTRACTORS!

THE UNDERSIGNED PROPOSE TO LET to the lowest responsible bidder the building of an iron Bridge across the Sangamon river at Priest's ford, on the Mt. Zion road, 160 feet long by 16 feet wide, stone abutments, with necessary trestle-work and earthworks. The plans and specifications can be seen at the County Clerk's office in the city of Decatur. Bids will be received on each part separately until the 5th day of August, 1872, to one o'clock, p. m., reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

P. R. GROUND, E. W. DAVIDSON, *Com. of Highways, town of Mt. Zion.*
W. D. DORSEY, H. CASSELL, A. J. WILLIAMS, *Com. of Highways, town of Decatur,*
JACOB SPANGLER, A. T. DAVIS, *Committee of Board of Supervisors.*

July 22, 1872—d&w-td.

FOR SALE—A fine team of match horses for sale by Ira Emerson, on the corner of North Church and West Eldorado streets, in Decatur. July22d'w.

DRY GOODS.

Purchasers of Dry Goods should avail themselves of the closing sale of

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13 EAST MAIN STREET,

And obtain their goods at 65 cents on the dollar. We have been in earnest in our advertisements of closing out sales from the first, and all will see it too, (even if incredulous before,) who come and observe our prices. Good goods going without regard to value.

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June 12, 1872—d-tf.

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Decatur, July 6, 1872—d-tf.

New Advertisements.

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J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL.

May 21, 1872—d'3m.

NOTICE!

THERE WILL BE A CALLED MEETING of the Stockholders of the Macon County Agricultural Society held at the Court House at 2 o'clock, p. m., on SATURDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF JULY, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of reorganizing under the new law.

By order of the Board.

JAMES C. LAKE, Sec'y.

July 16, 1872—d&w-td.

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May 21, 1872 d1y.

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Decatur, April 1, 1872 d tf.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.

Lewis F. Houck *vs.* Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been sued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in the town of Macon county, on the

2nd Day of July, A. D., 1872.

When and where [illegible] will be taken [illegible] and all the equities and an [illegible] and to such decree and [illegible] will be heard ex parte.

THOMPSON MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

NEWELL & RODY, Sol'rs for Compl't.

Decatur, May 29, 1872 d tf.

HAND BASKETS, WASTE BASKETS, WORK BASKETS FRUIT BASKETS, TRAVELING BASKETS, AT

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Important Notice

All soldiers who enlisted for three years between May 4th and July 22d, 1861, were mustered in before August 6th, 1861, were honorably discharged, and *never received any bounty*, can now get a bounty of $100 by writing to JOHN DEERING, Attorney at Law and Soldiers' Claim Agent, Washington, D. C.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, July 23.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce EDMISTON MCCLELLAN as a candidate for re-election as Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE M. WOOD as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce MICHAEL Y. GIVLER as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...C. B. Smith, Esq., of Champaign, is here, attending circuit court.

...This wet weather has worked as a drawback on railroad freight.

...H. Johnson, Esq., formerly of this city, has established a Music Room in Marion.

...We are indebted to Frank Priest for a copy of the *Salt Lake Tribune*, published at Salt Lake City.

...Hackett & Keeff opened their saloon this morning. We have sampled their lemonade, and it is No. 1.

...At Tolono and Champaign, last night, there was a violent rain storm, flooding the streets and doing some damage.

...We have plenty of rain this summer. Some fine showers fell this morning before daylight, and several threatening since.

...Hon. E. H. Griggs, Secretary of the State Senate, is in town to-day, attending court as a witness in the case of The People *vs.* Randall.

...Mr. Sheldon is doing quite well this morning. By the way, we understand it was his left hand, instead of the right that got shot, which is better for him.

...Among the attorneys from abroad in attendance at our circuit court, we notice Hon. Michael Donahue, of Clinton, and Hon. H. S. Greene, of Springfield.

...The pay car of the T. W. & W. Railway Company stopped here yesterday afternoon, and made the hearts of the employees glad with plenty of greenbacks.

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H. Mueller,	68,26

Claim of —— Thatcher, for lumber, amounting to $9,37, was allowed and warrant ordered.

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Ill. Cent. R. R., freight,	$64,00
Enterprise Coal Co., coal,	56,00

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Motion to approve the bond and order license to be issued was carried. Ayes—Ald. Hardy, Hill, Bramble, Gabler and Richards. Nays—Ald. Myers and McNabb.

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The first impression that one receives on entering is that of bewilderment, such is the magnitude, extent, variety and uniqueness of the combination. Here in almost endless variety we see gathered together from all parts of the earth a miniature representation of the wonder world, that nobody but Barnum would ever thought of or secured for a traveling exhibition. In the museum we behold living human phenomena, strange freaks of nature, curious arts and manufactures of all nations, interesting relics of antiquity, wonderful moving mechanical and automaton figures of the Dying Zouave, Sleeping Beauty, young lady Bell Ringers, all life size, strictly mechanical!—wherein all the merit of these remarkable moving figures really lies—for it is surprising to see what human ingenuity can accomplish in rendering these objects so true to life as almost to deceive an expert; mechanical singing birds, specimens of wearing apparel used by the Esquimaux and Fiji Islanders, live Digger Indians from the Yo Semite Valley; sections of bark 31 inches thick, from the big trees of California, and thousands of curious and interesting novelties.

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July 22-d1w

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Circuit Court.—The Court assembled this morning, entered judgment by default in several cases on promissory notes, and adjourned until 1½ o'clock.

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In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.

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IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled cause is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

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[illegible] affidavit of non-residence of defendant, and the affidavit being found to be true, it is ordered that unless the said defendants do appear and plead to said complainant's bill of complaint, filed in said cause, on the rules of said Court, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in August next, the same will be taken as confessed by said defendants, and such decree will be rendered in said cause as to the Court may seem just.

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The same committee reported back petition of M. K. Hatch and others, asking that grading be completed at and near the crossing of Jackson and Wood streets, recommending that the prayer of petitioners be granted. Report adopted.

The Supervisory Board reported back the following claims, which were allowed:

A. Hatch, services,	$38,00
H. Mueller,	68,25

Claim of —— Thatcher, for lumber, amounting to $9,37, was allowed and warrant ordered.

The following claims were referred to Supervisory Board:

Ill. Cent. R. R., freight,	$64,00
Enterprise Coal Co., coal,	56,00

The City Attorney reported a contract between Samuel Newell and the city, for putting up and keeping in running order for one year, a fire alarm telegraph to the water works. Contract accepted, and the Mayor authorized to sign it on the part of the city. Bond of Samuel Tibbetts, as Inspector of Oils, was read, approved and placed on file.

Ald Richards offered a resolution that the engineer of the water works report each week the number of cars, and the numbers on each, to the chairman of the Supervisory Board. Adopted.

Ald. McNabb offered a resolution that the City Supervisor build a six-feet sidewalk on north side of Prairie street near Mercer street, which was referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. Hardy offered a resolution that the City Supervisor be instructed to build a sidewalk on Eldorado street, between Edwards and Monroe streets, which was referred to committee on sidewalks and crossings.

Ald. Bramble offered a resolution that the City Marshal notify parties who occupy lot on north end of Central Block to abate nuisance on said lot, the same being used as a public privy. Adopted.

Bond and security of Hackett & Keeff, sale of malt and spirituous liquors, read, and also communication from occupants of block wherein the same was to be sold, that they will not oppose the opening of said saloon.

Motion to approve the bond and order license to be issued was carried. Ayes—Ald. Hardy, Hill, Bramble, Gabler and Richards. Nays—Ald. Myers and McNabb.

Request of Hose and Hook and Ladder Companies that their constitution and bylaws be printed, was granted, and the matter referred to committee on printing.

On motion, a warrant was ordered drawn in favor of the collector for $6,81, to apply on taxes of Mrs. Melvin.

On motion, a warrant for $25 was ordered drawn to apply on taxes of A. C. Cormman, on account of rent of ground occupied by city pound, for 6 months.

On motion, Council adjourned until next Monday evening.

Correction.—Some idle retailer of scandal having circulated the report that Uncle Joe Long had lost the power of speech, we take great pleasure in stating that the story is entirely without foundation. The venerable gentleman from the classic region of Friends Creek was in town yesterday, and was, as usual, able to entertain his many friends with the words of wisdom which are wont to flow from his lips. His principal subject of conversation, we need hardly say, was "Corn."

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Barnum's Great Show.—Barnum is coming. He will be here to open out his cabinet of curiosities on the 30th of August. This is doubtless the greatest combination show that ever made a tour of this country. It is like bringing the four quarters of the world together and tying them up as you would the corners of a pocket handkerchief, tumbling all the treasures into a heap. Barnum's tents occupy comparatively a small space of the earth's surface and yet they are an epitome of the great world, its life and art and industry. We cannot enumerate the strange things he has managed to group together, simply because they are innumerable. We have not yet seen Barnum's world's fair, and therefore cannot speak from personal knowledge of its merits, but if we may take the word of those who have seen it, we can promise our citizens a feast of sight-seeing. The Boston *Journal* thus speaks of the establishment:

The first impression that one receives on entering is that of bewilderment, such is the magnitude, extent, variety and uniqueness of the combination. Here in almost endless variety we see gathered together from all parts of the earth a miniature representation of the wonder world, that nobody but Barnum would ever thought of or secured for a traveling exhibition. In the museum we behold living human phenomena, strange freaks of nature, curious arts and manufactures of all nations, interesting relics of antiquity, wonderful moving mechanical and automaton figures of the Dying Zouave, Sleeping Beauty, young lady Bell Ringers, all life size, strictly mechanical!—wherein all the merit of these remarkable moving figures really lies—for it is surprising to see what human ingenuity can accomplish in rendering these objects so true to life as almost to deceive an expert; mechanical singing birds, specimens of wearing apparel used by the Esquimaux and Fiji Islanders, live Digger Indians from the Yo Semite Valley; sections of bark 31 inches thick, from the big trees of California, and thousands of curious and interesting novelties.

The most remarkable of living wonders are Mons. Goliath, the French giant, 8 feet high; Admiral Dot, the California dwarf, 25 inches high, 14 years old, and weighing 15 pounds, much smaller than Tom Thumb ever was at his age; Annie Jones, the bearded child, only 5 years old, who is literally covered with hair and whiskers, and Annie Leake, the lady born without arms, who knits, crochets, sews, writes and uses the scissors, etc., with her toes with marvellous dexterity. The living Fiji cannibals secured by Mr. Barnum from the island of Na Vita Leyn, the famous "What is it?" and the cannibal fan child. Hundreds of rare and living animals, besides thousands of other novelties.

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July 22-d1w

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June 20-6w] Administrator.

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May 21-d&w tf

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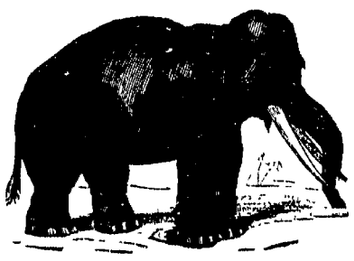

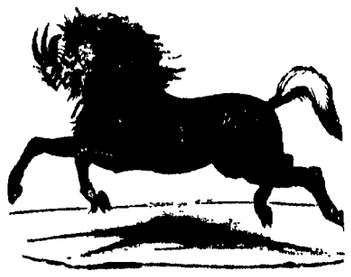

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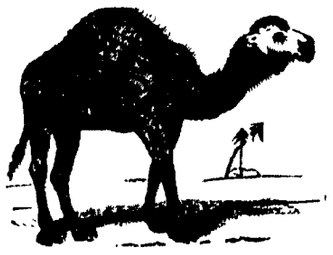

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June 12, 1872—d-tf.

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THE UNDERSIGNED would inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that he has recently succeeded E. A. Starr & Co. in the Lumber trade, at the old yards of S. K. Swingley, where he will always have on hand

A Large and Complete Stock

Of Lumber, Lath, Shingles, and everything usually kept in his line. PRICES as low as the lowest.

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C. P. THATCHER.

May 9, 1873—w-1y.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Mary Ferguson, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 19th day of August, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are required to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment. JACOB BEAR,

June 20-w4 Administrator.

Stereoscopic Instruments and Views just received from E. & T. H. Anthony, N. Y., by

W. E. WILSON.

May 24-d&w tf

CAUTION—The management are compelled, for the benefit and protection of their patrons, to warn the people against false representations and untruthful reports circulated by certain nameless, nondescript concerns. There is but ONE P. T. BARNUM, and only one show owned, controlled, and directed and bearing the name of the great showman. Only one show on earth compelled to use six tents and give three performances daily in order to accommodate the people.

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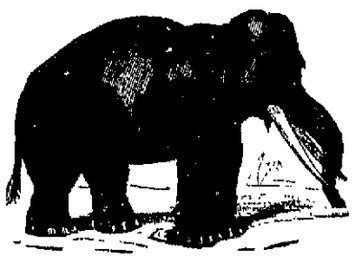
FRIDAY, AUG. 30!

P. T. BARNUM'S!



☞ Three Grand, Full and Undivided Exhibitions will be given, morning, afternoon and evening, for the accommodation of the multitude. Extra trains will be run on all the railroads to convey visitors to and from the Exhibition.

Doors open at 10 a. m. and 1 & 7 p. m.

Hippodrome Performances Commence at

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Admission to the 7 Colossal Shows:

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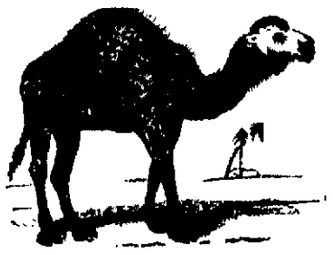

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With ONE HUNDRED of the Best Performers in the World!

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And in the Department of the Hippodrome and Circus, which is strictly moral and high toned, there are seen at one time in the Great Double Ring, in the Grand Entree Pageant, 100 Performers, Equestrians, Acrobats, Gymnasts, Knights, Heralds, Arabs, Mamelukes, Turks, Tartars, Greeks and Ladies in Mediæval Costumes, presenting a scene of royal magnificence never before witnessed. The performance in the Hippodrome will be interspersed with an unusual variety of acts by a large corps of the most eminent Bareback Riders and noted Acrobats in the world, including the great MELVILLE and his Talented Family.

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